Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation and the media's role in political bias. Requiring equal time of opposing views is mandatory to prevent political ownership from monopolizing public information. Define exactly what is news.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve strict rules related to bias in the presentition of news to the public.

Thank you,
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